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Development of Safdarjung Airport
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Airports Authority of India (AAI)/Government has any proposal to develop Delhi"s Safdarjung Airport into world class commercial hub and convention centre;

(b) if so, the details thereof along with the estimated cost of the project and the time by which the above proposal is likely to be implemented;

(c) whether the AAI/Government has taken note/care of the security implications/concerns before according approval to the said proposal; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

Minister of State in the Ministry of CIVIL AVIATION
(Dr Mahesh Sharma)

(a): No, Madam. Safdarjung Airport is a notified airport for Cat-2B aircraft and handles VIP operations and other strategic operations.

(b), (c) & (d): Does not arise.